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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:		Shinichi Takahashi	)		
Serial No.:		10/706,626	) )		
Conf. No.:		7983	) )		
Filed:	]	November 12, 2003	) )		
For: HEAD SLIDER FOR MAGNETIC DISKS THAT PREVENTS ADHESION OF DUST					
Art Unit:		2627	) ) )		
Examiner:		Kayrish, Matthew	) )		

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as FIRST-CLASS mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this date.

<u> 1pril 25, 2008</u>

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Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

	As	As		Previously		Present			Additional	
	Amended		Paid For		Extra		Rate		Fee	
Total Claims	22		20	_ =	2	_ x	\$ 50.00	=	_\$_	100.00
Independent Claims	2		3	_ =	0	_ x	\$210.00	=	_\$_	0
Fee for Multiple Depende						\$370.00	=	\$	0	
Total Additional Fee								_\$_	0	
Small Entity Fee (reduced by half)									\$	

- (X) Amendment  $\underline{E}$  with a check for \$100.00 (additional dependent claims).
- (X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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